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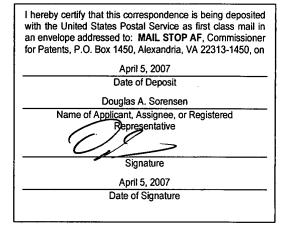
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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2006, which provides for a response period ending February 14, 2007. A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action, for two additional months to April 14, 2007, is being filed concurrently.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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